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On October 21, poloff delivered the invitation detailed in reftel to MFA Americas desk officer Reina Charbel. Charbel indicated that acting MFA Director General William Habib might represent Lebanon at the forum. We will follow up with Charbel next week after Foreign Minister Fawzi Salloukh and Habib return to Lebanon. SISON